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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: P. Seibel and A. Seibel

Serial No.: 08/765,244

Group Art Unit: 1635

Filed: October 30, 1997

Examiner: Lacourciere, K.

For: CHIMERICAL PEPTIDE-NUCLEIC ACID
FRAGMENT, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE
SAME AND ITS USES FOR APPROPRIATELY
INTRODUCING NUCLEIC ACIDS INTO CELL
ORGANELLES AND CELLS

Attorney Docket No.: 8484-018-999

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

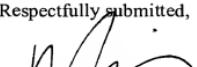
It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action
dated January 17, 2001, be extended for a period of 3 month(s) from April 17, 2001 to and
including July 17, 2001.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$445.00 (small entity). Please
charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of
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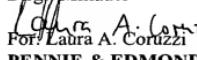
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